IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA CHARLESTON DIVISION

The Sustainability Institute, Agrarian Trust,) Civil Action Number: 2:25-cv-02152-RMG Alliance for Agriculture, Alliance for the Shenandoah Valley, Bronx River Alliance, CleanAire NC, Conservation Innovation Fund, Earth Island Institute, Leadership Counsel for Justice and Accountability, Marbleseed, Organic Association of Kentucky, Pennsylvania Association for Sustainable Agriculture and Rural Advancement Foundation International-USA, and Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, City of Columbus City of Madison, Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, City of New Haven, City of San Diego, Plaintiffs, VS. DONALD J. TRUMP, in his official capacity as President of the United States; KEVIN HASSETT, in his official capacity as Assistant to the President for Economic Policy and Director of the National **Economic Council; UNITED STATES** OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET; RUSSELL VOUGHT, in his official capacity as Director of the United States Office of Management and Budget; UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY: LEE ZELDIN. in his official capacity as Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection) Agency; UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; BROOKE ROLLINS in her official capacity) as Secretary of Agriculture; UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION; SEAN DUFFY, in his official capacity as the Secretary of the United States Department of Transportation;)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF)
GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY)
SERVICE; AMY GLEASON, in her official))
capacity as Acting Administrator of the)
United States DOGE Service; ELON MUSK))
in his official capacity as Senior Advisor of))
the United States DOGE Service,)
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Defendants.)

DEFENDANTS' NOTICE OF APPEAL

Defendants hereby give notice of appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit the Order entered on May 20, 2025 [ECF No. 157] by the Honorable Richard M. Gergel, United States District Judge.

Respectfully submitted,

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